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Breezelets

Oh, U merchant boat!

Actions speak louder than words for patriotism these days, especially among young men.

For a stunt in watchful waiting the English vessels outside the three mile limit.

Speaking of the danger of submarines, a man-eating shark is reported off the New Jersey beaches.

With their hold on Hem the French are likely to rip up the German border considerably before they are made to let go.

War prices have now affected Bibles. Luckily in this crisis, a lot of people have old ones that are almost as good as new.

One of the things a woman can't understand is why a fool man never can learn how to hold the baby properly.

Possibly Pres. Wilson would get reader replies from Carranza if he would enclose stamped self-addressed envelopes.

Beauty, of course, is an asset. But the girls who have greenbacks don't have to worry over not having pink faces.

Somebody says a dollar now goes further than it ever did, which is true enough. And it also goes a darn sight faster than it ever did.

The British, too, seem to be agreed that the Deutschland shall not take back any passengers, and not even the crew, if it can be prevented.

A back-to-the-soiler who had read about the importance of blooded stock decided to get a hydraulic ram as soon as he could get the fences in condition to hold it.

Bet more than one brain is actively engaged in inventing a means for preventing the Deutschland getting a start back.

It's funny that the knocker who goes around telling what a rotten place his home town is never thinks of moving out of it.

HELP

THAT IS NOT WANTED

"Outside Breweries" are determined not to let Alberta stay dry if they can help it. Already "booze" price lists are flooded by mail through the country from these outside places, with the request to "keep this (the price list) or pass it on to your friends who loves good beer." Quite a stunt to get some cheap advertising and "your friends" muddled at the same time—by these outsiders.

Many Patients

WERE INMATES AT THE CHINOOK HOSPITAL

There was quite a number of sick auto inmates in the Chinook hospital, after the outing to the Little Gem and Collholme picnics on Friday last. The sick and maimed had met with divers ills—some with broken limbs, others with bursted boilers, tireless wheels, carburetors all awry, and others with "inward troubles" only known by the expert physician, while more than one was towed into the hospital by ox teams. Oh, yes, the auto is a dandy when it goes all right; but a ———— when it don't!

School Consolidation

GAINS GROUND IN ALBERTA

Consolidated schools are making big strides in Alberta. From the time Chinook started to agitate for consolidation in 1913 to when it became an accomplished fact, fifteen consolidated school areas had been formed. Since Chinook's consolidation, four other school areas have been formed, the latest one being the Lomond Consolidation now No. 20. No doubt before the end of 1916 a number of other school districts will have consolidation.

The man who lacks ambition lacks the quality that makes for greatness, but he certainly does seem to have a restful time of it.

If there was a fly that you didn't swat in the spring go out and take some exercises by swatting its million descendants now.

COLLHOLME KOLU

The Collholme picnic proved to be a great success. The day was ideal, and as a consequence some seventy-five gallons of ice cream was gone by 4.30, not an ounce being left for the dancers in the evening. Another five to ten gallons could have been disposed of.

The ball games were watched with great interest by a big crowd. Collholme was fortunate in winning the prize.

The nigger babies brought in a big sum of money, for the reason that the centre one was dressed up as the "Kaiser," and everyone wanted to have wack at him, which they did with such telling effect that one side of his moustache was knocked off and his head had some of its swelling considerably reduced—just what our khaki boys are doing now at the front.

The committee are pleased at the generous response of the business men of Chinook and Youngstown towards the prize list. They take this opportunity in thanking them.

No doubt John Key will visit Brigg to get his Stetson hat which he won as a prize.

It looks as though the Banner Hardware were wide-awake as they donated a Big Ben clock to waken up the homesteader.

Mrs. N. D. McKinnon, p.m. won the five lbs of coffee in the nail driving contest, donated by J. R. Miller.

The writer not having time to give all the news, will continue next week. Watch this great family journal.

"Yes" said the old mathematician, with a gleam in his eyes "I've always looked at it that way Marriage is addition; when the little ones come it is multiplication when dissension comes up to cloud the horizon of their happiness it's division; and when the final parting comes it is subtraction!"

"And how about divorce?" asked the listener.

"Oh that would come under the denomination of fractions."

Crop Notes

If nothing unforeseen occurs 1916 crop in this vicinity will be another bumper, and in many respects equal last year's record. But that sown on stubble this year, however, does not show up so well as that of 1915, which was a marvellous record; but still it will not be bad, considering how little work was put on it.

The wheat market has hovered between the 90 cents and the dollar mark—97 cents being the highest—during the past week. Some farmers, however, are still holding out for the dollar, and even over that. Over 80,000 bushels of wheat has been marketed in Chinook during the week.

The weather conditions continue ideal in this district, but another four to six weeks will tell the tale and in all probability seal the fate of Alberta's crop for 1916.

From some districts comes reports of hail damage. The "hen-egg" size variety has done its destructive and killing work this season. Let us hope that this money-smasher and heart-breaker will pass us by. We can well do without this variety of "hen's-egg."

From every point of view the farming class of this province is in better shape now than at any previous period. Thanks to the bounteous crop of 1915, more people own homes and farms, more are free from the yoke of bondage inflicted by burdensome debts; more are becoming independent by making a comfortable living for their families; more are waking up to the necessity of giving their children better educational advantages, and withal, prosperity and contentment seem to prevail throughout the country and if the present great crop is harvested without any mishap, there will be a whole lot more of happy independent farmers. Let progress still be our watchword.

In our account of the Wintermans-Hull wedding last week, our reporter intended to state that "after a brief wedding trip the newly married couple would make their home at the old manse" but through a typographical error, which escaped the proofreader, and which we regret exceedingly, "Old Manse" was made to read "Old Man's"

Chinook Breezes

Oh, U Skeeter!

In another column will be found some "notes" sent in by a correspondent re Collholme picnic.

Tenders are being advertised for the Chinook consolidated school building.

Rev. A. Barner, superintendent of the Western Missions, will conduct the service in Chinook church on Sunday, July 30th.

Pinkerton—At Calgary, on Saturday, July the 15th, to Principal and Mrs. Pinkerton, a daughter.

Mrs. Wright and daughter from Thornbury, Ont., is visiting her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wright.

Mrs. M. Gibbons of Danville, Ill., is visiting her son, M. E. Stanley. She was accompanied by an aunt, Miss Jennie Jones, of Des Moines, Iowa.

Health Greatly Improved

Mrs. A. George, who has been away to Banff during the past month, returned home on Sunday morning, much improved in health.

Was a Quiet Town

The town was pretty quiet last Friday, most of the people having either gone to the Little Gem or to Collholme picnics, both having been held on the same day.

Prospects Looked Good to Him

Mr. Geo. Buchanan and young daughter of Cayley, was in town for a few days last week, looking over his farm, south of Chinook. Mr. Buchanan is delighted with the crop prospects here.

If It Could Only Be Kept Up

If the same number of cars that have been coming into Chinook daily during the past few weeks could only be kept up when this year's bumper crop is marketed, what would it mean to the farmers of Chinook and vicinity?

Moves to Bassano

Mr. L. S. Tosh, who has been in the Union Bank here during the past two years, left on Monday morning for Bassano, where he takes a position in the same bank at that town. We understand a few of his friends gave him a "send-off" on Saturday night.

Curlers Will Curl

NOT THE KAISER'S MOUSTACHE CURL—BUT ON ICE

A meeting was held last week end of those interested in "curling." A new agricultural hall is to be built at once, and the "curlers" of Chinook thought it would be a good plan to get agricultural society to build the hall large enough for curling purposes. This the society has decided to do, the "curlers" consenting to lease the hall during the winter months for a period of years, so as to compensate the society for the extra expenditure in building a suitable hall for their own purposes and the accommodation of the curlers.

The meeting last week was to organize a curling club. A. H. Peck was elected chairman and J. R. Miller secretary-treasurer. The club has made arrangements to bore a well which will be inside the hall, for flooding purposes, &c. at once and curling equipment will be ordered a few months later.

REARVILLE RIPPERS

Welcome to Rearville

Miss Grace Hennigar of Calgary has accepted the position as teacher for our school.

Spells "Progress!"

Mr. M. F. Suiter was in town this week. It is understood that he is going to build one of the finest barns in this part of the country.

"Sing Them Over Again to Me!"

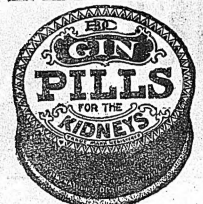
They do say that the old time songs are becoming popular again. The most popular at the present time in this district is "Alice, where art thou?" more especially just north of Rearville.

The fate of "two-per-cent" still hangs fire, in the meantime soft are king

When a man gets a reputation for stinginess no amount of munificence can destroy it.

When a man clamors for personal liberty he usually desires to infringe on some one's rights.

The outings are having their inlings, as it were.



Regulate Kidneys AND Relieve Constipation

Gin Pills are acknowledged to have the largest sale of any proprietary medicine in Canada—an achievement solely due to their remarkable virtue as a Kidney and Bowel remedy.

But users of Gin Pills have discovered that this invaluable remedy also acts as a mild laxative. The evidence is that those who have received establishes the very fact that in constipation a severe cure is not required. The kidneys and bladder control the important functions of the body. When these organs, especially the kidneys, are out of order, the bowels are affected. It is important to know, in the case of constipated patients, that the cause is not harshly on the bowels; there is no griping but a gradual and gentle relaxation of the function. Try Gin Pills for constipation. It will relieve the bowels, and safeguard your health against possible kidney trouble.

Gin Pills are 25c a box, or 4 boxes for \$2.00 at your dealer's. A trial treatment will be sent upon request.

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Granulated Eyelids, Eyes inflamed by exposure to Sun, Dust and Wind quickly relieved by **Murine Eye Remedy**. Just Eye Comfort. At Your Drugist's. For Bottle, **Murine Eye Remedy** 25c. For Box of 12, **Murine Eye Remedy** 25c. For Box of 12, **Murine Eye Remedy** 25c.

An Inconceivable Outlaw

Famous Western Bucking Horse Will be One of the Attractions at the Moose Jaw Stampede

"Maple Creek," considered by western cattlemen to be the best bucking horse in the world; and the animal that gave **Emory LeGrand** the world's champion bucking-horse rider, the hardest ride of his career at the Gleichen Stampede last year, has been secured to test the skill of the cowboys who will ride at the big Moose Jaw Stampede, July 10th to 14th.

"Maple Creek" is a three year old, and is owned by P. Dyer of Medicine Hat. Originally he was the pet saddle horse of an Alberta rancher's daughter. One day the girl left him in the stable on an out diet, and the first time she mounted him, for a spring ride he bucked her over the fence into the ditch. The rancher couldn't understand this, as he was always a gentle horse, and he mounted "Maple Creek," and was likewise precipitated over the fence. Three of the young woman's cowboy admirers then sought to conquer the beast, and were themselves conquered, so that he was given up as an inconceivable outlaw, no longer fit for riding. It was then that the learned of him and purchased him for the Gleichen Stampede and his reputation has been growing rapidly ever since.

This famous horse, and a dozen of others of great reputation as buckers, will be seen at the Stampede, and there are many who are wagering that more than one cowboy will be thrown from the beast, and were thus heard of before the four days of the Stampede have elapsed.

Miller's Warm Powders were devised to promptly relieve children who suffer from the ravages of worms. It is a simple preparation warranted to destroy stomachic and intestinal worms without shock or injury to the most sensitive system. They act thoroughly and painlessly, and though in some cases they may cause vomiting, that is an indication of their powerful action and of any nauseating property.

Queen Mother Saw Game
One of the best stories illustrating the practical symptoms of Quinsy is told by Lady Randolph Churchill. Not long ago the Queen Mother stopped her motor car at High Park in order to watch a game of football which some soldiers were enjoying near the Serpentine. No one recognized her, and she came out. Her Majesty sent a subscription to the fund for giving football to soldiers in training.

Minard's Liniment used by Physicians.

Hammers were originally fashioned from the model of an outstretched human arm and fist.

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Sow the Best Seed

Seed Selection Pays the Grain Grower Every Time

Every intelligent farmer in this country has learned that the costly school of experience that it pays to sow or plant only the best of seed. The cost of cultivating, sowing and harvesting is practically the same whether poor seed or good seed is used, and the difference between the cost of poor seed and good seed is comparatively small when compared with the investment made in the sowing operations. With a good seed bed the returns from low grade seed wheat of doubtful germinating qualities as compared with the returns from the very choicest wheat will often be from ten to fifteen bushels per acre and frequently more. Seager Wheeler has done more to show the benefit of seed selection than probably any other man in this country. For over twenty years he has been selecting the best from his growing crop every year and from the progeny of this carefully selected seed he has selected the best, with the result that on his test plots he has produced as high as eighty bushels per acre of Marquis wheat, and he has been able to bring every farm up to the high pitch of cultivation and make every farmer a specialist in seed selection. It is to bring the average yield of wheat up to eighty bushels per acre. But it would seem reasonable to expect that a specialist in seed selection of this kind would be able to produce above seventeen to nineteen bushels per acre, which was the rule prior to the extraordinary crop of 1915. It should be remembered that the methods adopted by Seager Wheeler which have enabled him to show his championship with his Marquis wheat on three different occasions, and which enabled Pat Gervish of Allan, Sask., to win the world's prize on one occasion, can be followed by any farmer of ordinary intelligence. These men have done so without breeding. They have only taken the best they could find and year by year selected the best from the best. Many farmers feel that they cannot afford the time to put in a quarter acre of carefully selected seed and maintain this quarter acre plot year after year for the production of hand selected seed. But if they were to figure carefully the benefits which might result from the derived from 100 to 200 acres of wheat produced from this selected seed, they would find that in dollars and cents the investment would be a good one. Seed selection carried on in this manner for a matter of five years would raise the quality well as the quantity of wheat produced on every acre of the farm and the increase in cash returns would be a large dividend on the time and money spent in preparing a half bushel of seed from it each year. The Canadian Wheat Growers' Association is doing excellent work in this direction and merits much more widespread support than it receives in this country.

Canadian Timber Values
According to a recent Commerce report the values of the various classes of timber produced in Canada in 1914, together with the values of the forest products, total \$70,872,000, being divided as follows: Lumber, timber and shingles, \$37,500,000; fire wood, \$20,500,000; pulp, \$15,000,000; posts and rails, \$9,500,000; cross ties, \$9,000,000; square timber exported, \$400,000; cooperage, \$1,000,000; poles, \$700,000; logs exported, \$550,000; tanning material, \$220,000; round mining timbers, \$500,000; miscellaneous exports, \$300,000; miscellaneous products, \$10,000,000.

How Indesl!
The fishy woman was picking over the undressed kid gloves while the weary clerk answered queries.
"Will these gloves wash," asked the woman.
"They will wash in a solution," replied the clerk.
"Are you guaranteed not to shrink," she asked.
"How can you guarantee undressed kids not to shrink from washing?" demanded the clerk.

Special constables in Britain number 124,444 of whom there is a daily average of 16,321 on duty.

A Sensible Thing To Do

When the drink, caffeine—the active principle in tea and coffee—shows in headache, nervousness, insomnia, biliousness, jumpy night, and so on, the sensible thing to do is to quit both tea and coffee.

It's easy, having at hand the delicious pure food-drink

Instant Postum

It is made from wheat roasted with a hot wholesome molasses and is free from any harmful substance.

Thousands who prefer to protect their health, use Postum with comfort and delight.

Made in the cup—instantly—with hot water. Convenient, nourishing, satisfying.

"There's a Reason" for

POSTUM

Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Windsor, Ont.



Sugar-Dressing for Hun Wounds
Sugar-dressing for the wounds of German soldiers is the latest provision of the science department in the service of the army. The trouble will soon be, however, according to a humorous local journalist in Saxony, that there will be nothing left to dress enough for the needs of the ordinary civilian. Sugar has been commandeered for the War Provision. There are two conditions applied to the use of sugar in this connection. One is that the sugar is not disinfected, and the other is that it is of no use until the bleeding ceases. Then, asks the same wag, what is the use of it?

Just One More Direct Message

NEW BRUNSWICK WOMAN SAYS USE DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

Mrs. Patrick Williams Tells How Her Headache and Weakness Vanished When She Used the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills.

St. Sossine, Kont Co., N. B. (Special)—I feel it my duty to tell the public the great relief from headache and weakness I found in Dodd's Kidney Pills. Many farmers feel that they cannot afford the time to put in a quarter acre of carefully selected seed and maintain this quarter acre plot year after year for the production of hand selected seed. But if they were to figure carefully the benefits which might result from the derived from 100 to 200 acres of wheat produced from this selected seed, they would find that in dollars and cents the investment would be a good one. Seed selection carried on in this manner for a matter of five years would raise the quality well as the quantity of wheat produced on every acre of the farm and the increase in cash returns would be a large dividend on the time and money spent in preparing a half bushel of seed from it each year. The Canadian Wheat Growers' Association is doing excellent work in this direction and merits much more widespread support than it receives in this country.

Improving Butter Prices

The season of 1916 will likely see the largest output of butter in Canada has ever yet marketed. C. P. Markier, dairy commissioner for Alberta, estimates that the province will run 9,500,000 pounds last year, which was a very favorable season. Saskatchewan is producing a big make, as is Manitoba. In all three distinct steps have been made to further improve the quality of the creamery product and thereby extend and consolidate the market. It is said 90 per cent of the cream reaching Alberta creameries this year will be pasteurized, which treatment adds greatly to the keeping quality of the butter and seems essential for long shipments.

Clean Stomach, Clear Mind—The stomach is the workshop of the vital functions and when it gets out of order the whole system suffers in sympathy. The spirits flag, the mind droops and work becomes impossible. The first step should be to restore healthful action of the stomach and the best preparation for that purpose is Paronelle's Vegetable Pills. General use for years has won them a leading place in medicine. A trial will show their value.

French War Humor

French racing horses' names are now almost all inspired by the war. The names of favorite generals, towns and French, for instance, are common: battles in which the allies came out on top find favor, such as La Marigay, Tipperary is also in the field; while names of French common, "Seventy-five," "Hundred and five," "Sixty" are very popular. French love of irony is seen in such names as *Chien de Papier* (cancer of paper), *Chit, Tontouine* and *La Censure*.

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that it is not one dreaded disease that Catarrh has been able to cure in all its stages, and that a cure is being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constant treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the blood on the mucous membrane of the system, destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient power by restoring the system to its normal condition in doing its work. The protection of the system is the only way to cure Catarrh. Catarrh Cure that they offer is a cure for Catarrh for any case, that will cure. Send for leaflet testimonials.

Solely for Catarrh for any case, that will cure. Send for leaflet testimonials.

Sold by all druggists, 75c.

Stingy Millionaires

Mr. Justice Craig, speaking in Toronto, said that "millionaires are giving far less than the men who have a few pounds, and he knew of one millionaire who is keeping back good, healthy sons and giving practically nothing to any family who has no money but has crippled himself financially and given five sons to the Empire." "Cousinship is not a business," he said. "It is a fact not always borne in mind that a poor man who gives a hundred dollars more proportionately than a rich man who gives a thousand."—Ottawa Journal.

Said one of our leading merchants recently, after reading the war news: "I see Germany is to have a food dictator. I've been married to one for some years."

"They have money, haven't they?"

"I don't know; haven't seen them for about a year."—Judge.

Proud Skippers, These

Masters of Trawlers Despise Seaman-ship of Navy

Every trawler is distinctive, and the whole character of the crew and of the life on board depends on the captain. These skippers are types who seem to have survived from an age long since gone by. You can always tell a North Sea trawler from a West country one. The North Sea skippers seem stern and taciturn, whereas the West countrymen, mostly Devonshire men, seem genial, buoyant, and full of life. However, delightfully independent and express their views on things in general in a manner which makes them officers for the fleet. The skipper of a trawler never will admit that any officer in the navy is a real seaman. They will stoutly maintain that seaman-ship is a lost art, which can now only be found among themselves, and they love to hold forth on the handling of great battleships as they make their way into narrow harbors or take up difficult anchorages, pointing out how much better they might have done the job themselves. They love to grumble at everything, and without a grievance in no way touches the Canadian Bridgewater.

I was cured of Bronchitis and Asthma by MINARD'S LINIMENT

MRS. A. LIVINGSTONE

Lot 5, P. E. I.

I was cured of a severe attack of Rheumatism by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Maloune Bay JOHN MADER

I was cured of a severely sprained leg by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

JOSHUA A. WYNACHT.

Bridgewater.

Disclaim Connection with Chain-Letter

The Canadian Branch of the Queen Mary's Needlework Guild wish to disclaim any connection with a chain-letter which is being circulated in the name of the Guild by the New York Branch. Though responsibility in no way touches the Canadian Branch, the ladies here regret that such a method of obtaining money for Queen's Guild has been resorted to, and that it has got into this country, as the chain-letter system has long since been condemned and fallen into disfavor.

All mothers can put away anxiety by inducing their suffering children when they have Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator to give relief. Its effects are sure and lasting.

The Bishop of London says the war has finished for all but the old. In any case, the late hours will never be re-established.

SPLITTING PAINS IN THE MUSCLES CURED DRIVEN OUT QUICKLY BY "NERVILINE"

Rheumatic Pains Go—Suffering Ceases; Cure Comes In Even Chronic Cases

For aching bones and sore muscles Nerviline will soothe away the pain like a charm.

For nerve-racking twinges in the muscles, for torturing backache or humilage, you'll find Nerviline is full of amazing power.

You see, Nerviline has the power—it's stronger than ordinary remedies, and can penetrate very deeply. It contains juices and extracts of certain herbs that give it a strange power to drive out congestion, inflammation or pain. You're safe in using Nerviline. Just rub it on—it won't blister or burn, and can do nothing but good.

Whenever there is pain or suffering Nerviline will go and drive it out. It penetrates to every cell of a sore muscle; it sinks to the heart of every stiff sore joint; it searches out the point of rheumatic quickness.

Give Nerviline a trial. See how fast it will limber your lame back, how quickly it will cure neuralgic headache, how fast it will break up a bad cold or ease a sore throat.

The best family ever made is Nerviline. Forty years of great success prove this.

For emergent ills, when the doctor isn't handy, there is nothing better than the 5c family size bottle; trial size 25c., all dealers or the Carthage Co., Kingston, Canada.

"Captured Their Captors" in war times is a form of surprise not at all unknown to an army. A good apropos of the fact comes from Petegrad.

In the fighting in the region west of Aschikah the Turks surrounded a Russian detachment formed of reserve soldiers. These reservists were taken into captivity by the Turks, but, preferring a glorious death to shameful surrender, with their non-commissioned officers at their head, fell upon the Turkish escort, overcame it, and forced it to join their brave regiment.

A physician, passing by a stone-mason's shop, called out:

"Good morning, Mr. Jones. Hard at it, I see. I suppose you finish them to see who wants a monument next?"

"Well, yes," replied the old man, "unless I hear somebody's ill and anxious attending them, then I keep right on."

Foggs (in London for the first time) hit polonium. I've just used my wife. If she should come along will you ask her to wait here for me?

Pollicene—But how am I to know her?

Foggs—Ah, to be sure, I haven't thought of that. Well, tell her not to wait.

"Don't you think a girl should marry an officer named Madge?"

"Oh, I suppose so," answered Dolin, "but I tell you it's awful being engaged to one."

"Is that boy a chip off the old block?" Why, no. He's only a little shaver."—Baltimore American.

The Result

"His wife made a man of him."

"He looks like a homestead job."—Baltimore American.

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Duties—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required, except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

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A. NICHOLSON,
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Chinook Breezes

There will be R. C. Sunday school in the schoolhouse every Sunday at 2 p.m.

Mrs. A. Nicholson and son St Clair returned home on Sunday morning, after two weeks' visit with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Budd, Calgary.

Mrs. J. R. Miller and family returned home from her visit to Fort Francis, Ont., this morning. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Clarke.

Schools of Agriculture

The Provincial Department of Agriculture has just completed arrangements with the various Raily Companies for a three days Excursion to the Schools of Agriculture, when a most interesting and instructive programme will be given by the Staffs representing the Schools and the Department of Agriculture. The dates for the visit to Claresholm are Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 7th, 8th and 9th, and single fare rates have been arranged for on the convention plan, viz.

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On the premises of W. L. Clark, 1425-6, Clonens, an stray Iron Grey Filly, small star in forehead, narrow strip of white on right hind foot, wire scar below right shoulder, two years old, has russet halter, no visible brand

Strayed

From Milligan's Feed Barn, about 2 months ago, a Blue Pony, about 800 (aged gelding). Information to W. MILLIGAN, Chinook

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One Bay Gelding, weight about 1100 about 12 years old, branded IX on left jaw and figure 1 on left thigh, One Brown Yearling Filly, Percheron breed, no brand.
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(Continued)

"You are happy then?" asked Lady Emmeline, without, however, feeling any doubt as to what the answer would be.

The reply was overwhelming in sincerity and force.

"Happy?" sighed Lady Ursula, catching her breath. "Oh, my dear, my dear, I am too happy. I feel as if I couldn't be right to be so happy as I am, while there are so many people in the world who are miserable."

Lady Emmeline stole a hand over her sister's, touched by the deep feeling in her tone.

"Oh, I'm so glad! And is he—your husband—really—or—er—as nice as she seemed?"

Lady Ursula smiled into her face.

"I see," said she. "Tom has been telling you the silly fables that some of the old maids tell. Well, dear, you can dismiss them from your mind. Paul is no saint—he always told me he was not. But he is a cheerful, honorable, kindhearted, gentlemanly, honest man who is wanted by all to be forgiven and to make amends, and the most charming companion in the world."

"I'm so glad!" sighed out Lady Emmeline, "so awfully, awfully glad!"

Upon the earl and countess no fraction of the change for the better in the appearance of their older daughter was lost.

Lady Gravenhurst, commenting upon the improvement in her sister's husband when they were alone, summed up the change in a short sentence.

"Marriage has made her human, John."

"I wish," said the earl, "that it had been a human Englishman instead of an American who had brought about the change."

Lady Gravenhurst smiled.

"Well, we shan't need to what country he belongs, shall we, if he makes her child as happy as this?"

Lady Gravenhurst looked anxiously at his wife.

"And now, Emmeline seems to be restless too," he said. "If she goes to Ours Court again, I'm afraid she may pick up another person of the same nationality. Really, to find a girl I should care to have a second American in the family."

"Well, well, I don't intend to hear anything of that sort," said Lady Gravenhurst.

Perhaps she was perfectly sincere. But she certainly must have heard from her son that Lady Emmeline and Hugo Jackson, Lord Hastings's friend and college chum, seemed to find a good deal of interest in each other's society.

In the meantime the visit to Wintress was an unqualified success, and Lady Ursula, after visiting all her poor people and finding out to her dismay that they were all quite contented with the arrangements which she had made to fill the blank made by her departure, found that the Midlands, where she found Ours Court fuller than ever, and Mr. and Mrs. Ours-Jackson, who had been her hostess, more than ever at a loss to know where all the people collected by their children had been.

Politics of a strong Tory sort, now formed by very atmosphere once breathed in the great new house, Mr. Ours-Jackson himself, who had been a Radical, a Socialist, and a destroyer of the most virulent type before he had anything to do with politics, was not reformed, but at any rate he was now silent amid the din; and as his sons-in-law were strongly Conserva-

live, his daughters ranged themselves on the same side; and Hugo, who was the only member of the party conservative by conviction, led them all whither he would.

When Paul arrived he was seized and interrogated as to his principles, with feeble results. He declared that he took no interest in politics, and altogether declined to allow himself to be dragged into a prominent position over the election.

At the same time, he good-naturedly put his services at the disposal of Hugo as an assistant secretary, or any other position in which he could be a silent worker for the cause.

In the meantime, he was, as before, a most popular member of the household, and endeared himself to everybody by his easy manners and amiability.

Induced Hugo was inclined to think him too amiable, when he discovered Paul's presence in a lively flirtation with the maid of his sister, Mrs. Finchden, in the corridor on the first floor in the evening after her arrival.

He said nothing, however; but when he found Paul conversing confidentially with the girl on the morning following, near the same spot, Hugo, who was passing the end of the corridor, was passing the end of the corridor, and he had never predicted, and he looked none the less distinguished for wearing no jewels.

The Honorable Mrs. Finchden was her fair on the morning following, and all the other ladies were dazzled by the display of gems.

Lady Ursula, grown handsomer since her happy marriage, looked all the more beautiful for having no pearls about her neck.

Discussion was animated even before the ladies left the dinner-table, and the following day there was to be a big meeting, and not only was the Conservative candidate to speak from the platform, but a friend of the nearest town, but Hugo was to make his first speech, and there was to be a grain producing country was generally realized. Definite figures of stock production are not so easily obtained as in the case of grain.

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It seemed to Lady Ursula that Paul listened to this as if he knew it already. But he said nothing, only remarking, when urged again to sit on the platform, that he would rather remain in obscurity in the body of the hall.

(To be continued)

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holders to make their homes by preference in Alberta, and the rich agricultural districts capable of producing the foodstuffs for millions of people. But although—stated, manufacturing is yet in its infancy, it has already assumed some importance. The last census returns show that 220 manufacturing plants in the province, consuming raw material worth ten millions per year, and producing finished products almost to the value of twenty million dollars.

The farmer may not feel any direct interest in lumbering, mining, or manufacturing, but these industries have a great bearing on his prosperity, nevertheless, they consume a large proportion of his oats, hay, dairy products, etc., affording him the best of markets—the home market—and at the same time they supply him with lumber, fuel and certain lines of manufactured articles at less cost than he would otherwise pay.

As their importance increases, their inefficient effect on agriculture will increase in proportion.

In 1905 Alberta stood eighth among the provinces of Canada in the matter of railways mileage. Now she stands fifth, and except for some outlying districts, agricultural communities are everywhere connected by an efficient telephone system has been extended over the province in the last few years, and the number of telegraph lines has increased from 1,775,000 to 1,124,000. Taking these four principal cereals the comparison is as follows:

1905 crop—13,483,337 bushels.
1915 crop—167,220,000 bushels.

But the figures do not tell the whole story of crop production, by any means. Not only has Alberta demonstrated within the last ten years that she can grow crops of wheat, oats, barley and flax unsuperseded on the continent, but she has also found that she can grow other crops which were not attempted ten years ago, or which were grown in such small quantities that they did not figure in the returns. Among the crops so classed may be mentioned yearling steers, hogs, turkeys, 462,000 bushels, and alfalfa totalling in 1915 over 34,000 tons. Other crops of importance were potatoes, 6,650,000 bushels; turnips and other roots, 1,246,000 bushels; mixed grains, 67,650 bushels; fodder corn, 5,700 tons; hay and clover, 31,000 tons.

But the permanent prosperity of Alberta is not wholly dependent upon its crops. The district which is now Alberta was famous for its stock production are not so easily obtained as in the case of grain.

It was in vain, however, that pressure was brought to bear upon Paul to induce him to make a speech himself. He was told that his easy and popular manners would be a great asset to the cause.

It was not until he was a raking fire of inquiry as to whether he was a Radical, or was so disobliging.

And it was then that he made a surprising answer that his father had been a Whig.

"A Whig? I didn't know they called him a Whig!" exclaimed Henry Finch quickly.

Paul corrected himself rather snappishly.

"I don't use the word, but we have got the thing over there," he explained briefly. "Anyhow, I don't care to take any part in politics."

Even Lady Ursula was surprised at his obstinacy, though she made no comment.

"We're going to have a representative gathering on the platform," urged Hugo, "and I don't think that there would be no fear of your being too prominent, if that is what you modestly afraid of."

"You'd better leave me in the hall itself to lead the applause," said Paul.

"You'd be much happier on the platform," persisted Hugo. "We're going to have some very smart people. Lady Creslow is coming, and—"

Lady Ursula, who was watching her husband, still perplexed by his obstinacy, saw a strange change pass over his countenance at the name. Even Hugo noticed it.

"Do you know Lady Creslow?"

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Something About Heavy Guns

The German Seventeen-inch Naval Gun Theory Has at Last Been Exploded

As to the big 17-inch naval gun theory, that was soon exploded. The French had found the position of the gun that was firing into Dunkirk and photographed it. It was found to be not a naval gun at all, neither was it a 17-inch calibre. It was only a German 15-inch siege howitzer embedded in concrete and rigidly set at its maximum elevation so that it could not be actually aimed, but merely fired haphazard in the general direction of Dunkirk. Its purpose was merely to frighten. People in French towns soon got used to these big shells, and their effect soon wears off, and they do not cause so much damage after all as one would be led to suppose. Thus the theory of Mr. Douglas is bounded on his own head.

Common sense, also, would have told such experts that even if the Germans had ships armed with the 17-inch naval guns, such monster pieces would only be handicaps as guns vary according to the cube of their calibre, it can readily be figured out that 17-inch guns would weigh about double the weight of the 15-inch gun. So at the most four 17-inch guns could only be mounted on

a ship like the Queen Elizabeth, carrying 17-inch guns. But owing to the curvature of the earth, the maximum range at sea is about 10 miles. Now, these 15-inch guns fire extremely effectively at such ranges, and there is not anything on the sea that could float any length of time once these 15-inch guns get the drop on it. The London Truth says that when the Queen Elizabeth was given her trials at target shooting the marks were 19 miles away, and she perforated every mark at the first broadside.

But with four 15-inch guns firing against eight 15-inch guns you would have, giving the same rate of fire, the Queen Elizabeth actually firing two shots to the other's one, and she would put the other out of action before it could do much if any damage to her, for she would have superiority of fire right from the start, and smaller shells—15-inch shells—under a hail of shells—from the Toronto World.

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Annual Report Shows That This Bank is Constantly Being Placed on a Stronger Financial Basis

The Merchants Bank report for twelve months ending April 29, 1916, shows a very material strengthening of its position. While improving its already very considerable percentage of profit, the Bank naturally had to suffer a decrease of profits. These however have been better than might have been supposed and were sufficient to pay the regular dividends even after liberal contributions to Patriotic and Red Cross Funds, and the payment of almost Sixty Eight thousand Dollars as War Tax on Circulation.

Including the balance brought forward from last year of two hundred and forty-five thousand dollars, the Net Profit after all provision for all charges, etc., amounted to almost twelve hundred thousand dollars.

While the shareholders will feel specially gratified at this, the public at large will rejoice especially at the percentage of the bank's assets, which amount to \$40,000,000, being in excess of 50 per cent of the Bank's total liabilities to the public. Of this amount no less than sixteen millions are in coin, Dominion notes and other cash equivalents.

As an indication of improved conditions, one notes an expansion of about one million and a half in Loans and discounts in Canada, and a similar amount in Call Loans, while notes in circulation have increased by about twelve hundred thousand dollars. Deposits are at high water mark standing at 72 millions, almost 10 millions more than a year ago.

It is of interest to note that the fifty million mark in deposits was passed by the Bank in 1915, so that in the six years an improvement in this head of almost 50 per cent, is noted.

The report is another proof that War conditions are not without their compensations as now that the first shock is over conditions are notably better than previous to Aug. 4th, 1914.

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The Hun Navy

Hitherto the Hun Navy fleet has remained in the North Sea, attempting to raid the British coast and destroy the British ships. The Hun Navy fleet has been sighted in the North Sea, attempting to raid the British coast and destroy the British ships.

"I understand," said Mrs. Twickenburg, "that Germany has invented a new and powerful explosive." Christian Register.

At least 75 per cent. of the catching power of the East Coast fishing fleet are engaged in the use of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. Who can express the feeling of joy that comes when the tight, choking air tubes are relieved of the tight, choking air tubes. It has made asthma affliction a thing of the past for thousands. It never fails. Good druggists everywhere have sold it for years.

Portugal's Wealth
Three-fifths of the people of Portugal are engaged in agriculture. The chief exports are wine, of which the British Isles import about \$5,000,000 worth, and France a similar quantity—corn, cattle, sardines, fruit and cereals. Portugal's resources, which are very rich, remain unworked because of the scarcity of coal.

The most obstinate corns and warts fail to resist Holloway's Corn Cure. Try it.

Value of Fresh Air
One of the chief essentials to good health is a constant supply of pure and wholesome air. This is as necessary in the home as in the office or factory. The open window, the bedside sleeping balcony and living in the open air, all tend to strengthen the constitution and build up the nervous system. For this reason too much attention cannot be paid to the ventilation of buildings. A supply of pure, fresh air pays, from a monetary standpoint. Roughly speaking, an increase in production of ten per cent is not unusual in the average office, school or warehouse, following the installation of a ventilating system. Fresh air, therefore, properly circulated, is an essential factor even in successful factory management.

Muffled Propellers
The noise made by an airplane's propellers has been a serious handicap to members of the flying corps of the Allied forces. This, however, it is now stated, will be considerably lessened, if not entirely done away with, by an apparatus which has been invented by an Italian officer. A successful test of the device was made in a recent raid on Trent. An Italian airplane with muffled propellers was able to fly undetected at altitude sufficiently low to ensure hitting the targets aimed at. This bomb was dropped on the station, which was wrecked on the barracks, where numerous sleeping soldiers were killed, and on the Grand hotel, used as military headquarters.

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First Aid Work
Valuable Work Being Carried on by the C. P. R. Centre

"A most successful year, notwithstanding the general depression." This is the pleasing statement contained in the sixth annual report of the Canadian Pacific Railway Centre of the St. John Ambulance Association. For the twelve months ending September 30, 1915, no less than 1,816 passed qualifying examinations out of a total of 2,264 who presented themselves for instruction at the classes.

In all the departments of the C. P. R. Centre of the Association which spreads over the country, a greater zeal than ever was manifested for work, and the support of the superintending officials of the C. P. R. is in no small way responsible for a good deal of the advancement made. Wives and daughters of C. P. R. employees have taken advantage of the free course of training offered, and now no less than 825 ladies have taken out the certificate of qualification from the Association.

Under the auspices of the C. P. R. Centre instruction was given to the Border Battery and Ammunition Column before leaving Montreal for the front. Afterwards the certificates of the officers and men of the Border Battery and Ammunition Column were presented to the Duke of Connaught.

An important feature of the work of the C. P. R. Centre was the bringing of a large number of lady clerks of the C. P. R. in touch with the Red Cross Society, an organization to which they proved a valuable asset.

Three men were saved from drowning at Winnipeg by W. F. Davies, C. P. R. ambulance instructor, and William Newcombe, C. P. R. constable. Sir Donald Cameron presented the medal of the Royal Canadian Humane Society to each in recognition of their bravery.

Particulars were obtainable of 3,780 cases where first aid had been administered by members of the C. P. R. Centre. The cases were thus divided: Atlantic Division, 97; Eastern Division, 100; Ontario Division, 136; western lines, 3,449.

Conclusion of the report of the C. P. R. Centre pays a glowing tribute to the late Lieutenant-Colonel Lacy R. Johnson, who has been chairman of the Centre under review and also of the whole Association. During his time as chairman, he has secured 100 employees of the C. P. R. passed the qualifying examinations, and in this way made themselves better citizens of the Dominion.

Western City War Census
As a basis for saving the men of Winnipeg to rally to the colors a voluntary committee, made a census of the city and as a result they state that there are only 4,500 single men and widowers without children, between the ages of 18 and 40 years in Winnipeg who are capable of recruiting according to the military registration census which has just been completed. Of the total 1,353 are of Canadian and 1,346 of British birth, 234 of American, 256 of Allies, and 535 of enemy nations.

Bullets in the Brain
I have seen two soldiers, with shrapnel bullets in their brains, sitting up in bed talking and laughing with their friends. Is there no limit to the marvels of modern surgery? writes an orderly in one of the London hospitals.

Many of Them Do
"Did you say he lived in New York City in day and night?"
"No, day and night out."—Judge.

Unfinished Work
What a sickening sense of failure the Germans will feel if they make peace and leave a million babies untrained and un-Zepellined in England—New York Sun.

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Chinook Breezes



The above artful little dodger is getting in some of his clever work around Chinook—the culmination of which will be known soon

Great pasture this year in this district.

Chinook is fortunate this week by having two dental firms practising here.

Chase—At Youngstown, on 17th inst. to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Chase, a daughter.

Tenders are to be opened on Saturday for the building of Chinook's consolidated school.

Mrs. Anderson of Excell is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. T. O. Stephenson

R. C. service will be held in Arm's hall, Chinook, on Sunday, July 30th, at 10 30 a.m.

Dr. Lackner, dentist, will be at Chinook, July 19th to 24th, inclusive. Opening a permanent office here

The many friends of Mrs. W. Gilbert, who is now at her old home in Ontario, will regret to learn that she is very low.

Now that the Calgary exhibition is over, the next great event will be Chinook's agricultural society's fair, August 9th.

Among those reported killed in action in Tuesday's casualty list appeared the name of Wm. Dow of Wastina

They do tell that Farmer Marcy is hard at work breaking, having broken 100 acres for himself, and is now doing breaking for others. Some difference from "breaking" in school kids.

Complaint has been made to us of some very bad pieces of road coming into Chinook which should be attended to at once. Nothing hurts the business of a town more than bad roads, and we cannot afford to neglect this very important matter

DENTISTRY

DR. PIPER will be in Chinook in July, from the 19th to the 22nd, inclusive.

**R. M. of Sounding Creek,
No. 273**

Important Notice

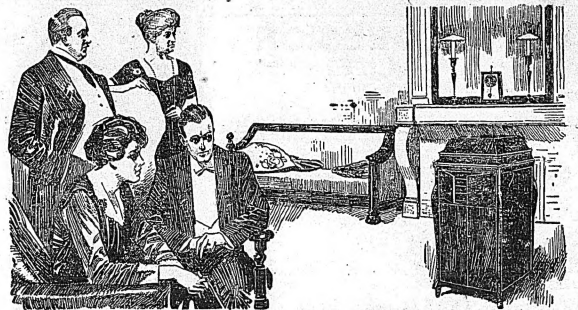
A SUPPLY of Blank Forms for making Statutory Declaration for loss of, or damage to, growing crops by HAIL may be found in the hands of the following named persons:

Names	Addresses	Official Title
D. S. Collins,	Youngstown,	Notary Public
J. I. Price	sec 30-31-8, 4m,	Commis'r
R. C. Fraser	26-31-7,	
M. J. Hewitt,	Chinook	J.P.
A. Nicholson,	Chinook Advance	
R. M. Mangies,	Youngstown	

Your Statutory Declaration must be made within THREE DAYS from the date of the damage by Hail to the crop on one of the forms provided by the Board.

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Public Notice

By the Board of Trustees of The Chinook Consolidated S.D., No. 16, of the Province of Alberta.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient by the Board of Trustees of the Chinook Consolidated S.D., No. 16, of the Province of Alberta, that the sum of Fifteen Thousand Dollars should be borrowed on the security of the said District by the issue of Debentures repayable to the bearer in twenty equal consecutive annual instalments with interest at the rate of not more than, eight per centum per annum for the following purposes, namely, building and equipping a solid brick, steam-heated, four room, all on one floor, full basement, School Building and for purchasing Conveyances.

THEREFORE NOTICE is hereby given by the Board of the said District that unless a poll of the ratepayers of the said District for and against the said debenture loan is demanded as provided by The School Ordinance the said Board will apply to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners for authority to borrow the said sum by debentures.

Of which all persons interested are hereby notified, and they are required to govern themselves accordingly.

I. W. DEMAN,

Chairman
Dated at Chinook, Alta. this 17th day of June, 1916.

INSTRUCTIONS TO RATEPAYERS

In rural districts a poll on a debenture loan may be demanded by any four ratepayers if the loan exceeds \$1,200.00 or if the loan is not for the purpose of building a first school house.

In town and village districts a poll may be demanded on any debenture loan by twenty and ten ratepayers respectively.

Every demand for a poll should be delivered to the secretary of the district or in his absence to the chairman of the board within fifteen days from the date of posting these notices. A certified copy of the demand should be forthwith forwarded to the Board of Public Utility Commissioners of Alberta at Edmonton.

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY
LORNE PROUDFOOT,
Sec.-Treas.

School and Equipment for Sale

I HAVE been instructed by the Board of Trustees of Popular S. D., No. 2613, to offer for sale the following property of the said district: The School Building, which is large and well-built—has a neat cold-shed behind—would be a good investment for a neighboring district requiring a school or a church; or with but little extra cost it could be made into a fine dwelling.

A Stable, large enough for 8 or 10 horses.

Two good Closets, with screened approaches.

Fencing, 7 or 8 stout cement posts, large and small iron gates, cedar posts, and woven wire enough to fence 2 acres; some of the wire never been unfenced.

Teachers' desk, office chair, 2 other chairs, about 15 desks, for pupils, large map case and maps, library case and library, reading tablets, large bell, blackboard, etc.

Waterbury Heating System, good as new.

A Good School Organ, in use but a short time.

Two screen doors—never been used—coal and kindling.

Everything must be sold. Tenders will be received for all or for any part of this property. If tendering for more than one of it, state how much you will pay for each part. In this way all will have a fair chance.

Tenders must be in before June 30th. The highest and any tender not necessarily accepted.

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Lorne Proudfoot, R. S.